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DEMOCRATS

Have Keynote of Success by Selecting Gov. Cox and Squelching Billy Bryan.

Party Leaders Might Now Devise Means to Withdraw Beckham From Race.

Old Howdy Ed Morrow Uncovered in His True Light For Benefit of Racing Men.

KEYSTONE POLICE REVIVING.

All eyes are now centered on the gathering of Democrats in San Francisco, and this applies to people of all parties as the nomination of Harding and Coolidge by a little clique of fossilized Senators hasn't met with popular favor. All are looking for a stronger selection at the Democratic Convention and Democracy has a shining opportunity to make good. From this distance about the first move to make, one that would be universally applauded would be to kick William Jennings Bryan through the door and out of the party. Bryan and his prohibition fanaticism have no place in a Democratic gathering and this is the Democratic party's golden opportunity to get rid of this Old Man of the Sea. Let him understand that if he is so desirous of saddling the country with prohibition and its attendant hypocrisies, then leave the Democratic party and announce for the presidency on a prohibition ticket. This would settle that much mooted question once and for all and it would no doubt settle money grabber Bryan. Let the Democratic Convention select Gov. Cox as the standard bearer and incorporate a recommendation for light wines and beer in the platform and a sweeping victory for the Democratic ticket is assured.

In speaking of a sweeping victory the same would apply to Kentucky if the new party leaders give answer to the popular demand from all parts of the State as to the withdrawal of Beckham from the Senatorial contest. Our cartoon in this issue covers the situation exactly. Senator Beckham is in the role of the dog in the manger, who can't eat the hay, nor will he allow anyone else to pasture. Thousands and thousands of Democrats have signified their intention of not voting for Beckham if given the nomination, and this defection will injure every Democratic nominee in the State. As a prominent Democrat put in the other day the nomination of Beckham means "the throwing of a Senatorship in the gutter." Let Senator Camden, Judge Hardin, Col. Callahan, Marion Taylor and the other gentlemen who assisted in reorganizing the party take some step that will remove Beckham as a stumbling block to party success. Messrs. Camden, Hardin, Callahan, Taylor and others know that Beckham is injuring the party's chances, just like thousands of other Democrats know, but IT IS THE DUTY of the above named gentlemen to take the initial step. Let's have an answer gentlemen.

Once more the real strength of our Governor is exposed, and this time the joke is on the horsemen, breeders and race track people of the State, and the joke is doubly good because ninety-nine percent of the race track people and horsemen were enthusiastic supporters of Howdy Ed in the last election. Just how they are being repaid. Elihu G. Floyd, who was "fired" out of Sheriff Rose's office is a special pet and crony of Morrow, and although Floyd cut little figures in jollies here or out in the State, he has grown overnight into Howdy Ed's right hand man. Through Morrow's influence Floyd was appointed Patrol Judge of Lexington, Louisville and Loretta tracks, and although Floyd had never been identified with the racing game before he became a race track owner and jockey did not perform to suit the new patrol judge and he raised a rumpus, but was called down for his actions by Chief Racing Steward Judge Price.

Stung by the rebuke and finding no sympathy around the tracks Floyd calls for help from our Governor. Now here's where Morrow shows just how big a man he is for the position of Chief Executive. He rushes post haste to the race track to call down Judge Price and his fellow racing officials and "blusters" what he will do to the racing game if his pet Floyd is interfered with. And to prove that he went the limit a sporting paper at Chicago says that Morrow demands that Judge Price be "fired" from the racing game. We are waiting to hear from the race horse men, the ninety-nine percent that supported Morrow, and the hundred percent of them that have confidence in Judge Price. Here another angle from the reform standpoint, rather one that interests the taxpayers. Floyd is drawing a big salary as an employee of the State Examining Office, and yet holds the job of Patrol Judge on the three race tracks, which means over a hundred days away from his duties at the taxpayer's expense. While waiting for the race horsemen to give their opinion we would also like to hear from the reform leaders and the Louisville Herald and Hert-Bingham press, of whom enthusiastically supported Howdy Ed as the apostle of reform and good government.

The Republican colored brother came back from the Chicago convention a little disgruntled, because the credentials committee and the bosses sided with the white women from the South in preference to the colored

DOG IN THE MANGER UP TO DATE.



Senator Beckham cannot win if given the Democratic Nomination, and blocks the way for other aspiring Democrats.

delegates, the latter being hissed on the floor. The local colored press say the support of Harding and Coolidge will not be very enthusiastic, but the Hert-Searcy bosses say that they are not afraid of any desertion. They claim that as long as the Republican party has a device that resembles a chicken coop the colored voter will never get away from stamping under that device. One of the local negro papers says that Rose Simmons, a transient resident put Louisville and Kentucky on the map, and that heretofore Kentucky was only noted for PRETTY HORSES AND FAST WOMEN. How the white people of Kentucky will take this slur and insult to their women remains to be seen. But the colored brother fares pretty well here, the Hert-Searcy machine having many of the negro leaders on the city and county payroll because of their ability as vote deliverers. A stroll through the Court House basement any day will open one's eyes. The big gathering of negroes there leads one to believe that the Hod Carriers Union is holding its convention. It is not that the Hod Carriers have no time for work outside their political activities.

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My oh my! but didn't the Keystone Police Department swell up because of the praise of the Bingham papers when the dog catching policeman captured a simple minded young man, who a half-crazed way attempted a robbery in broad daylight. Not that robberies are not possible in daylight here as they are happening every day at the expense of the Keystone motormen and conductor police, but this irresponsible young man doesn't seem to belong to the regular army of crooks that operate daily and nightly without any arrests being made. It is estimated that there are an average of three to five autos stolen daily in Louisville without a single return, and the Keystone Police Department does not even publish the accounts in the Police Bulletin. Anyway this capture might revive Col. Petty. Prof. Ragsdale, Night Chief Laird, and the Police Nightlight School, all of the above being mighty quiet lately, appearing to have given up the attempt to "bull" the people of Louisville into thinking that the "rap" motormen and conductors were real police, instead of Keystoneers. Watch for the revival.

The Catholic Educational Association will convene in New York City next Monday, being in session until Thursday afternoon.

THOUSANDS

Attend First Solemn Military Field Mass Held in This State.

Beauty, Impressiveness and Dignity Mark Services Honoring Soldier Dead.

Bishop Chartrand Declares Patriotism the Moral Obligation of the Christian.

PAYS TRIBUTE TO LOUISVILLE.

With solemn beauty, impressiveness and dignity the first military field mass in Kentucky was celebrated Sunday morning under the auspices of St. Xavier's College Alumni Association at the Athletic Field of the Alumni, Clay and Kentucky streets. The mass, not differing from the regular mass except that it was held at a temporary altar in an open field, was celebrated in honor of the soldier dead of Louisville. More than 10,000 persons witnessed the ceremony, gathered in a semicircle about the flag draped temporary altar which had been erected under a tent on the east side of the field.

The procession to the field from the Columbia Athletic Club was led by a drum and bugle corps from the Eighteenth Infantry, Camp Zachary Taylor. In the procession the American flag was carried and fourth degree Knights of Columbus, in full regalia, followed. Officiating ecclesiastics were: The Rev. J. T. Hill, St. Ann's church, deacon; the Rev. Maurus Olligshlager, O. S. B., St. Meinrad's Abbey, subdeacon; the Rev. Andrew J. Thome, St. Vincent de Paul's church, and the Rev. James McDonald, C. P. Sacred Heart Retreat, archpriests; the Rev. Daniel Driscoll, secretary to Bishop O'Donoghue, master of ceremonies; and the Very Rev. Albert Kleber, O. S. B., rector of St. Meinrad's Ecclesiastical Seminary, and the Rev. Edward O'Connor, Indianapolis, attendants to Bishop Chartrand, and Lieuts. Anthony C. McAuliffe and Romeo Regnier, Camp Zachary Taylor, acolytes.

The firing of three volleys by a squad of soldiers stationed on one side of the sanctuary announced the consecration of the mass. The Honor Guard of the Knights of Columbus stood at present sabre drawn at the consecration and the officers stood at salute. Music for the mass was furnished by the choir of St. Vincent de Paul's church and the Concordia Singing Society. At the conclusion of the ceremony three more volleys were fired by the rifle squad.

The Right Rev. Joseph Chartrand, D. D., Bishop of Indianapolis, preached the sermon at the mass. Taking patriotism for his text, he declared that true patriotism is not a mere sentimental emotion, but that it is the fundamental civic virtue, and for the Christian is a moral obligation. "The false philosophies and political economies of this age, the departure of the nations from Christian unity," said Bishop Chartrand, "were the real and basic causes of the fratricidal conflict; the root of the ruin that cradles Europe today, and the seed of dissension and sorrow and discontent that afflicts all mankind. Philosophy of a new paganism has brought the lash to mankind's back. It makes no difference whether it be the sophistry of supreme individualism, which is anarchy, or whether it be the sophistry of the omnipotent State. Either must thrust society back into worse than savagery. Man is not supreme and self-sufficient. Whether he will it or not the Divine laws of the universe cannot be swept aside. A few short years have seen the fall and the crumbling of this world's proudest and greatest empires. The Church

of Jesus Christ alone stands unchanged. The fires of Pentecost are burning in her sanctuaries for the cleansing and the healing of the nations as they burned in Jerusalem 1,900 years ago.

"Never will the church of Jesus Christ allow man to be degraded and robbed of his natural and God-given rights in an omnipotent State. And it shall call mankind always to his true condition—obedience to God and obedience to rightfully constituted civil authority. Justice and righteousness and charity is the only programme that can reform society. Arrogant power, pride of place, faith and hope in material things can spell naught but ruin for nations as well as men.

"God grant our beloved land the light to see the evil ways which shattered the Governments of Europe." Bishop Chartrand closed with a tribute to the service men of Louisville, and especially those of St. Xavier's College, who died during the World War.

"The glory and the glory of all others who were privileged to serve in their country's uniform," he said, "the teaching brothers of St. Xavier share, for they instilled that love of God and country and fellow-man which made them men and patriots, true Christian citizens and heroic soldiers."

On account of the damp weather, the Rt. Rev. Denis O'Donoghue, D. D., Bishop of Louisville, who was to have presided, could not be present. His place was taken by the Rev. Dr. Charles P. Raffo, pastor of St. Charles Borromeo church, as celebrant of the mass.

Instead of the customary bell, the consecration of the mass was announced by three volleys from the firing squad.

The Knights of Columbus "Honor Guard" stood at "Present Sabre," and the officers at "Salute" throughout the entire consecration until "Taps" was sounded.

The mass was sung by the choir of St. Vincent de Paul's church and the Concordia Singing Society. At the final blessing the riflemen fired three more rounds.

HIGGINS—FLAHERTY.

Thursday morning at 8 o'clock the Sacred Heart church was the setting of a beautiful wedding, the bride being Miss Margaret Higgins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Higgins, and the groom Frank E. Flaherty, a popular and promising young business man of Great Falls, Mont. The sanctuary was lovely with a profusion of flowers and lights which banked the main and side altars. To the strains of the wedding march the bride entered the church with her father, preceded by the little flower girls, Misses Ellice and Hattie Kathryn Clines, nieces of the groom. The bride was met by the groom and best man, Louis Flaherty, and the maid of honor, Miss Hattie Higgins. The bride was charming in a gown of white and carried a shower bouquet. Before the entrance of the bride party a select program of music was rendered by Prof. Patrick O'Sullivan and at the mass were rendered by Miss Lillian Trudean, who directs the choir, and Mrs. Dan Hennessey. The nuptial high mass was sung by Rev. Patrick Webb, the pastor, who also performed the ceremony. After leaving the church a wedding breakfast was served at the Audubon Club, to the bride party and immediate relatives. After an extended bridal trip to the Eastern cities, Minneapolis and Yellowstone Park, the happy couple will make their home at Great Falls.

ORPHAN'S PICNIC.

Very few parties were unrepresented at the general meeting Monday night in the interest of the orphan's picnic to be held in the beech grove adjoining St. Vincent's Asylum on Monday, July 5. But one more meeting will be held before the picnic, and it is hoped that every boy and girl in the city will have a representative present. The hundreds of boys and girls at St. Thomas and St. Vincent's will depend on the returns from this picnic for a continuance of the order that they may be continued every one is urged to lend a helping hand, and by personal service or donations make the financial returns the best in the history of the asylum. For the convenience of donors the following list has been selected where donations of articles may be sent. These articles will be collected on the morning of this picnic and carried to the picnic grounds:

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Moriarty Bros., Sixth and Kentucky.
Mrs. M. C. Coughlin, 3108 South Third.
George J. Butler, Twenty-fifth and Portland.
Rev. C. P. Raffo, Twenty-seventh and Chestnut.

MOURN HIS DEATH.

With the passing of John O'Brien early Sunday morning, Louisville lost another of its old and useful citizens and the church a faithful and exemplary member, and his death is mourned throughout the city. For some time he had been making his home with his daughter, Mrs. L. J. Barker, 3814 West Broadway. The deceased was a native of Ireland, coming to America in his youth. Besides Mrs. Barker he is survived by two beautiful daughters, Mrs. W. A. Blandford and Miss Abbie O'Brien; also three sons, Thomas, William and Joseph O'Brien. He was the uncle of Squire John O'Brien and Eugene O'Brien. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at Holy Cross church, Rev. Father Brey saying the requiem mass.

IRELAND

People Incited at Londonderry, Five Killed and Many Seriously Wounded.

Fighting Started Friday Night and Continued in All Parts of City.

Troops With Armored Cars Unable to End Conflict or Restore Peace.

A GENERAL STRIKE IMMINENT.

The Associated Press London correspondent cabled Monday that civil war conditions prevail in Londonderry and the authorities are powerless, it is declared in an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Londonderry Monday afternoon. Several additional persons were killed in this morning's fighting there, according to this message. The firing is being maintained with desperate intensity. Business is suspended and the postmen are declining to deliver mail. When the police stop the fighting in one zone, the dispatch adds, firing breaks out in another.

From Londonderry the Associated Press reports that fighting was renewed in that city Monday morning and resulted in one person being mortally wounded and two seriously hurt. Rifle and revolver firing was almost continuous, and as the people feared to venture out to work business was at a virtual standstill. The mob openly fired on the troops. At 1 o'clock this afternoon the rioting was still in progress. John Gallagher, one of the men wounded in Sunday's fighting between Unionists and Nationalists, died Monday, bringing the number of deaths for the present outbreak of party strife to six.

From 2 to 5 o'clock in the morning there was intermittent firing in many parts of the town. Between 5 and 7 o'clock three Unionists were shot, one of whom was thrown into the river. Thereupon, a large body of Unionists charged down Carlisle street, firing volley after volley toward the Sinn Fein stronghold in Bridge street. The Sinn Feiners returned the fire. The two sides manœuvred between the streets keeping up a fusillade most of the day. Troops with an armored car broke up the fighting temporarily at 10 o'clock this morning. When the troops appear at one place, however, fighting breaks out at another. More troops are being sent to the scene of the rioting.

Shops and schools were closed today and many houses were barricaded because of the rioting. The streets were deserted by all except those fighting or protecting valuable property. The dock workers refused, declaring they would not handle freight until peace had been restored. The rioting, which started at 2 o'clock this morning after the troops had been withdrawn following yesterday's battles, continued all day. Reports of additional casualties were received, but travel on the streets was so dangerous that it was impossible to obtain accurate details. Five persons were killed, ten others seriously wounded, several of them probably fatally, and about 100 others were less seriously injured during the period of desperate rioting in this city Saturday night. The fighting was accompanied by several attempts at incendiarism, one of which resulted in the burning of a large store.

The fighting was a continuation of disorders of Friday night, when Nationalists and Unionists were engaged in clashes for several hours and the military had to be called out. The military remained in what were considered the danger zones, but notwithstanding its presence the disorderly elements held away for some time. From shortly after 9 until 11 o'clock pandemonium reigned. A shot fired from one party into a crowd of rival partisans developed with ominous speed into violent rioting. The rioters, as they were called, poured volley after volley of rifle and revolver fire into Longtower street, with disastrous results.

Another crowd of Unionists in Albert street maintained a crossfire in the direction of Bishop's Gate, with the result that the people in the vicinity fled panic stricken to shelter. The Nationalists did not seem to be so well provided with weapons as their opponents, but they maintained a vigorous charge. In an early stage of the battle two men were shot dead in Longtower street and a number of persons, including a baby in arms, were wounded. A large crowd assembled in the nonresidential quarter in the city, where fierce fighting also occurred. Two girls were among the combatants here.

In London it is said the situation in Ireland is so tense that there is something more than the possibility of serious outbreaks and disorders, says the London Times. Dublin correspondent in a dispatch dated Sunday. The position from an executive point of view, he adds, has become almost impossible and the outlook is very grave. Moderate Irishmen of all parties are described as deeply alarmed over the continuous stream of army lorries laden with military stores and protected armed cars pouring into Dublin Sunday from Kingston, where they were unloaded by troops from a Government steamer which arrived Saturday. Elaborate arrangements have already been made for the feeding and transportation of troops in the event of a general railroad strike. The railwaymen, says the Times cor-

respondent, are in fighting mood and are supported by the sympathy of many public bodies. They are also declared to be expecting financial aid from the republican movement. A general strike or lockout appears inevitable according to the advices. It may begin Monday, but the correspondent considers it can hardly be postponed beyond the present week.

IRELAND OVERRUN.

The Associated Press cabled the Sunday papers from Dublin that, although information regarding the number of troops in Ireland is refused by the authorities, careful estimates place the present number at more than 50,000, which is being increased daily. The troops came from all parts of England, and latterly the Government has evinced a desire to send seasoned men instead of raw recruits. The declared purpose of the military preparations is to preserve order and protect the police, and the chief quality cultivated is mobility. The idea is that police barracks should be kept in immediate touch with military support. Some of the barracks now have wireless installations and a new form of rocket recently has been supplied. The rocket attracts attention for miles. Patrolling at night is mainly done at present by the military, who hold up persons and cross-examine them regarding their business. The most remote Irish roads are now familiar with military lorries and armored cars and tanks, though never yet in active operation, are often sent through town streets as a demonstration of power. There is constant apprehension of the landing of arms for the republican elements from abroad, and it is considered significant that troops have been stationed at places near the coast.

PLEASANT REST RESORT.

Only seventeen miles from Louisville, hidden amidst the hills of Clark county, a few hundred feet from the corporate limits of the little city of Charlestown, Ind., lies Indian Cave and the cavern whose history dates back to the time when the Delaware Indians occupied the large stretch of territory running from the Ohio river northward to what is now the city of Indianapolis. The cave was opened to the public in May, and since then the constantly increasing number of visitors testifies to the growing popularity of this new and delightful rest resort, conducted by the Indian Cave Company, who invite churches, schools and lodges to spend the day there and picnic on the grounds free of charge. The cave can be reached by the Charlestown trolley, the B. & O. railway, and by fairly good automobile roads through New Albany and Jeffersville.

WILL PLEASE MANY.

In response to numerous inquiries from all parts of the country William J. McGinley, Supreme Secretary of the Knights of Columbus, announces that the K. of C. pilgrimage to Rome and to Meitz for the unveiling of the K. of C. statue of Lafayette is open to laymen who were not members of the order. "His Holiness the Pope," he said, "wants us to bring men from every State in the Union. He has heard and thought much of Catholic America and this is an opportunity to show the Holy Father representative Catholic laymen from this country." The American Express Company has been appointed official transportation agent for these pilgrims, and the local agent for that company is prepared to furnish complete information and descriptive booklets and to arrange accommodations for the tour.

HAS RUN OUT.

Bigotry in politics was struck a severe blow in the defeat of former Gov. Sidney J. Catts, who aspired to the Democratic nomination for United States Senator in the Florida primary election. Catts, who was distinguished by his manifestos of ignorance and incompetence while Governor that he has been termed the worst executive Florida has had since 1870, made his opposition to the Catholic church a feature of his campaign. Catts is a former Baptist minister, and one of the most ignorant men in the South—who found it profitable to capitalize bigotry for political purposes. But his little game has run out.

TWIN CITY LEAGUE.

The Twin City League furnishes a banner-rod tomorrow, the schedule calling for some hotly contested games at Shawnee Park. The two leaders, St. Xavier and A. O. H., meet for the second time on Diamond 1. The C. M. A. and the Knights of St. John meet on Diamond 4, while Mackin Council and the K. of C. go together on Diamond 8. The annual field day of the Twin City will be held at Eclipse Park on Sunday, July 25, with an all star contest and field events as the features.

SACRED HEART CHURCH.

The religious closing exercises of the parochial school took place Sunday morning in Sacred Heart church, Seventeenth and Broadway. High mass was sung by Rev. Patrick Walsh, the beloved pastor, who conferred the diplomas and likewise awarded the medals. Benediction and the "Te Deum" marked the end of a most holy and successful school term.

MEMORIAL.

At last week's meeting of the St. Helena's Co-operative Club a memorial in loving remembrance of the late Miss Mary Elizabeth Sohan and in tribute to her splendid work in connection with the club was drafted by Misses Catherine Moriarty, Lucy Vanneman and Agnes Moriarty, and was unanimously adopted and entered in minutes of the club.

TOLERATION

Neglected Chapter of American History and Also the Maryland Colony.

Examples of True Liberty Towards Those of Other Religious Persuasions.

Catholics Handed the Spirit of Charity and Forbearance to Their Posterity.

THE CHURCH NOT IN POLITICS.

"Toleration" is a favorite slogan of our people, and to be tolerant of another person's beliefs or opinions is generally looked upon as a sign of a cultured mind. Whereas many of our separated brethren naively assume that true "toleration" came in with the Reformers, and that the Catholic church is committed to "intolerance" at all times and in all places, history often teaches otherwise. It is not so well known as it ought to be that the Catholic refugees from England, who settled in the "Maryland Colony" under the leadership of the brave George Calvert, the first Lord Baltimore, have given our people one of the finest examples on record of true toleration and liberality towards those of other religious persuasions.

In order to escape persecution and to be permitted to lead their lives in their own way, Lord Baltimore and his followers came first to Newfoundland and then to Virginia, which shut them out on account of their religion. They then proceeded to Maryland and found shelter. And "Maryland interests us," says A. Maurice Low in his book, "The American People," "as being the first and only American colony established to afford a refuge to Roman Catholics." Now how did these Marylanders, who had been driven from Virginia for their faith, and who might easily have shown bitterness towards non-Catholics, treat those of other persuasions? Listen to Mr. Low: "At a time when Catholics and Episcopalians were disfranchised in Massachusetts and Quakers were scourged at the cart until their bodies ran with blood, and Roger Williams was driven forth, and John Cotton boldly proclaimed that 'the church never took hurt from the punishment of heretics,' when Virginia compelled non-conformists to depart the colony and prevented 'popish recusants' from holding office, and Quakers were persecuted as felons, Maryland neither flogged nor maimed, and instead of driving out heretics opened her arms to them." Moreover, "in 1649 'The Assembly passed 'An act concerning religion,' the first American toleration act that shows the liberality of the lord proprietor and his legislature."

But this is not the full story of their "sweet reasonableness" towards non-Catholics. They handed on this spirit of charity and forbearance to their posterity. For circumstances had made the "Maryland Catholics more moderate and tolerant than their brethren in these states have ever characterized the church in America. There has never been any clash of authority between the Catholic hierarchy in the United States and the temporal power; so American Catholics have served the Church and State with divided allegiance; the Catholic church, while teaching her own creed (?) of obedience to the State and respect for civil authority. Catholicism in America has not destroyed or weakened the fiber of American republicanism; from a small beginning the church has grown and become a mighty instrument in the development of American character, but it has not accomplished without the direct participation of the church in politics." These paragraphs ought to be inserted in many a bigoted manual of history now used in our schools. C. P. Lummie spent many years in trying to move the calumnies heaped upon the Franciscan padres of the Pacific coast by "Puritan bigotry," and finally succeeded in his splendid work of "Historical Reconstruction." Would it not be worth while to do a little pruning in many a historical text book read by thousands of children in the United States?

REVEALS INIQUITY.

What the League of Nations, had we entered it, would do for the United States is aptly illustrated by what is happening just now in the old world. The cables brought news of an Italian expedition being landed in Persia to assist the British forces in keeping that country under the heel of Lloyd George's Government. This is one of the things the League of Nations was designed to do—to safeguard the plunder of the big powers, and it appears that Italy is already filling her part of the contract, helping England to destroy the ancient Persian nation. On the heels of this news comes the report of the evacuation of Baku of oil well fields by the British, leaving that rich prize to the Russian Bolsheviks. Here is where the United States as Mandatory for Armenia would be of inestimable value to England, for undoubtedly it would be America's duty in that case to oppose by force Russia's greed. These two items of news should be sufficient to open the eyes of the people of the United States to the iniquities of both the Treaty and League.